

EXHIBIT A
CERTIFICATION

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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

In re:

PG&E CORPORATION,

- and -

**PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC
COMPANY,**

Debtors.

- ☐ Affects PG&E Corporation
☐ Affects Pacific Gas & Electric Company
☒ Affects both Debtors

** All papers shall be filed in the Lead Case,
No. 19-30088 (DM).*

Case No. 19-30088 (DM)

Chapter 11

(Lead Case)

(Jointly Administered)

**CERTIFICATION OF RANDALL E.
MEHRBERG IN RESPECT OF FIRST
INTERIM APPLICATION
OF JENNER & BLOCK LLP AS
SPECIAL CORPORATE DEFENSE
COUNSEL TO THE DEBTORS FOR
COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES
RENDERED AND REIMBURSEMENT
OF EXPENSES INCURRED FOR THE
PERIOD FROM JANUARY 29, 2019
THROUGH MAY 31, 2019**

I, Randall E. Mehrberg, hereby certify that:

1. I am a partner in the firm of Jenner & Block LLP (“**Jenner & Block**”). By Order of the Court, dated April 25, 2019, the above-captioned debtors (the “**Debtors**”) were authorized to employ Jenner & Block as special corporate defense counsel *nunc pro tunc* to January 29, 2019. [Dkt. 1679.]

2. I am the professional designated by Jenner & Block with the responsibility for compliance with the *Guidelines for Compensation and Expense Reimbursement of Professionals and Trustees in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District*

1 *of California* (updated February 19, 2014) (the “**Local Guidelines**”), and the *Guidelines*
2 *for Reviewing Applications for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses Filed*
3 *Under United States Code by Attorneys in Larger Chapter 11 Cases*, adopted by the
4 Executive Office for the United States Trustee (the “**UST Guidelines**”, and together with
5 the Local Guidelines, the “**Guidelines**”) and the *Order Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 130 and*
6 *105(a) and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2016 for Authority to Establish Procedures for Interim*
7 *Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals* [Dkt. 701] (the
8 “**Compensation Procedures Order**”).

9 3. This Certification is made in support of Jenner & Block’s first interim
10 application (the “**First Interim Fee Application**”) for the allowance of compensation for
11 services rendered and reimbursement of expenses incurred for the period from January 29,
12 2019 through and including May 31, 2019 (the “**First Interim Application Period**”).

13 4. I have reviewed the First Interim Fee Application.

14 5. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after
15 reasonable inquiry of Jenner & Block’s accounting personnel and legal and
16 paraprofessional staff, the First Interim Fee Application complies with the mandatory
17 guidelines set forth in the Guidelines.

18 6. The fees and disbursements sought are billed at or below rates and in
19 accordance with practices customarily employed by Jenner & Block and generally accepted
20 by Jenner & Block’s clients.

21 7. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after
22 reasonable inquiry of Jenner & Block’s personnel, Jenner & Block does not make a profit
23 in connection with any disbursements sought in the First Interim Fee Application except
24 (i) in recording certain disbursements, for administrative convenience, charges are rounded
25 up to the nearest dollar (e.g., long distance telephone calls); (ii) volume discounts, if any,
26 are not reflected (e.g., UPS); and (iii) certain estimates for expenses related to various
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1 disbursements are not specifically calculated (e.g., taxes, rental charges, and related costs
2 of electronic legal research services).

3 8. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after
4 reasonable inquiry of Jenner & Block's accounting personnel, Jenner & Block does not
5 include in the amount of any disbursements the amortization of the cost of any investment,
6 equipment, or capital outlay.

7 9. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after
8 reasonable inquiry of Jenner & Block's accounting personnel, to the extent that Jenner &
9 Block has purchased or contracted for services from a third party, reimbursement is sought
10 only for the amount billed by the third party to Jenner & Block and paid by Jenner & Block.

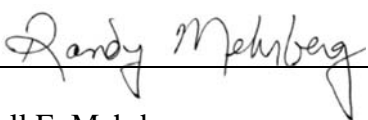
11 10. Jenner & Block maintains supporting documentation for each item for
12 which reimbursement is sought, and such documentation is available for review on request
13 by the Court or the United States Trustee.

14 11. Jenner & Block has complied with the provisions requiring it to provide the
15 United States Trustee, the Fee Examiner, and the Debtors with a statement of Jenner &
16 Block's fees and expenses.

17 12. The Notice Parties (as defined in the Compensation Procedures Order) will
18 each be provided with a copy of the First Interim Fee Application.

19 Dated: August 8, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

21 By:  _____

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